Tip: Tuck away your custom macro toolbars for easy storage and access (Excel 2000/2002/v. X/2003)

Recently, we provided a helpful tip about storing personal macros in a separate toolbar. Once you do so, there's also a great way to make sure the toolbar is always accessible. Just save a blank workbook that includes the custom toolbar in a safe place. That way, if you have to reinstall Excel, upgrade to a newer version, or get a new computer, you can just open the file and your toolbar is back! You can also use this to install your macro toolbar on multiple computers at the office, or even on your home computer. This will save you a lot of time when you have developed a toolbar that you rely on constantly. Also, remember that it's always a good idea to back up those files from time to time, just in case.